

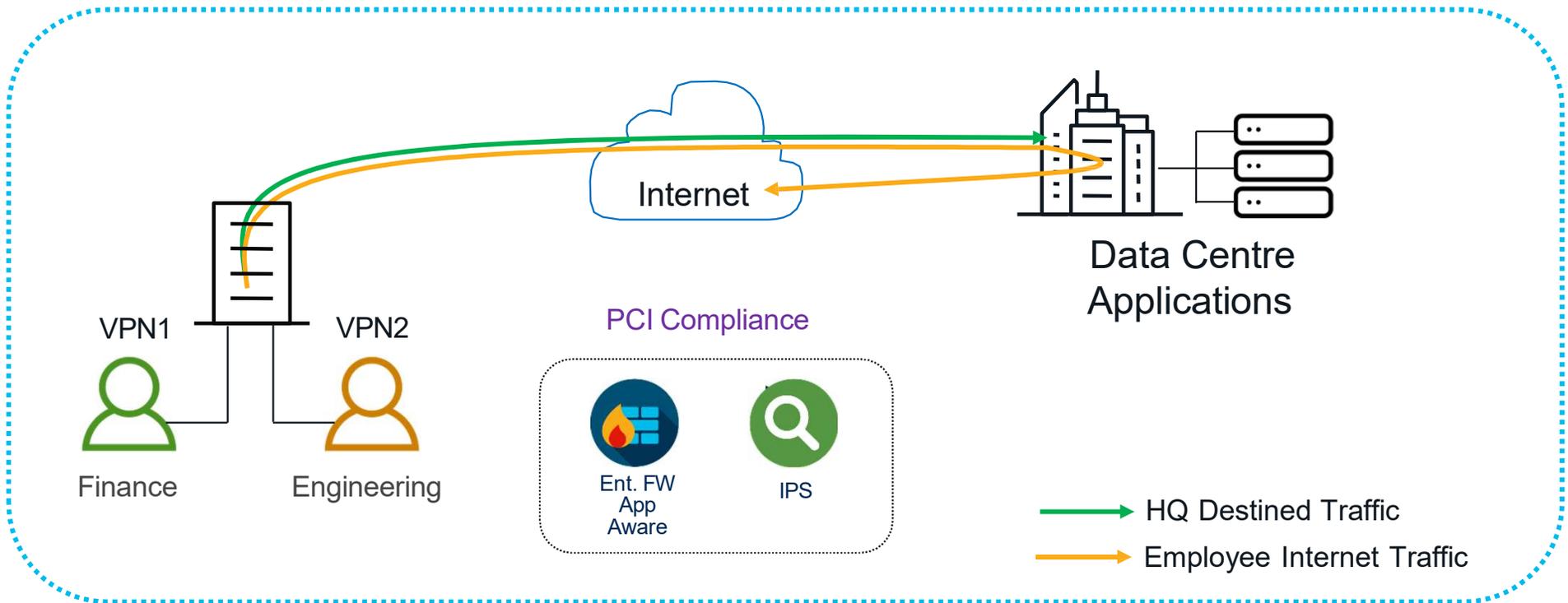
Zone Based Firewall



Controller Mode ✓

Autonomous Mode ✓

Zone Based Firewall Use Case: PCI Compliance



Zone Based Firewall – Benefits and Requirements

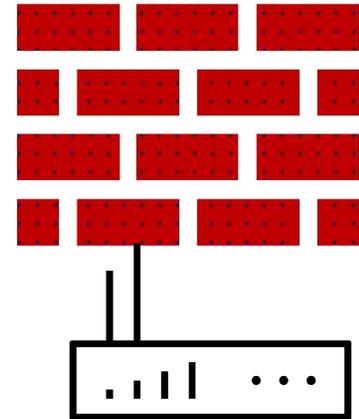
Benefits

- PCI * compliance
- Stateful firewall built into branch routers
- VLAN Segmentation
- Supports VRF
- Supports IPv6

Requirements

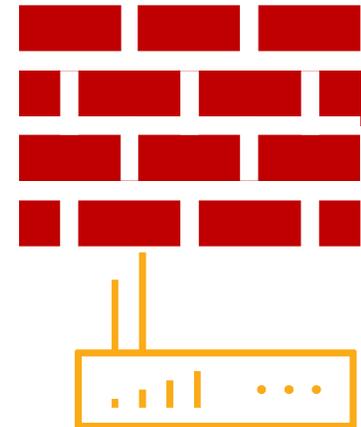
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* PCI – Payment Card Industry



Zone Based Firewall

- Custom Zone
- default zone
 - “default” security zone for all INSIDE interfaces
 - default zone has always been in IOS-XE
 - default zone support on ISR-G2 is from 15.6(1)T
- Self Zone



Zone Based Firewall - Configuration

Identify traffic using class-map

- Access-list
- Match Protocols

Take action using policy-map

- Inspect
- Pass
- Drop

Apply action using
zone-pair

- Service policy applied to traffic

Apply Zones

- Apply zones to interface

Zone Based Firewall - Custom Zone

Theory - directional, different policy based on packet direction

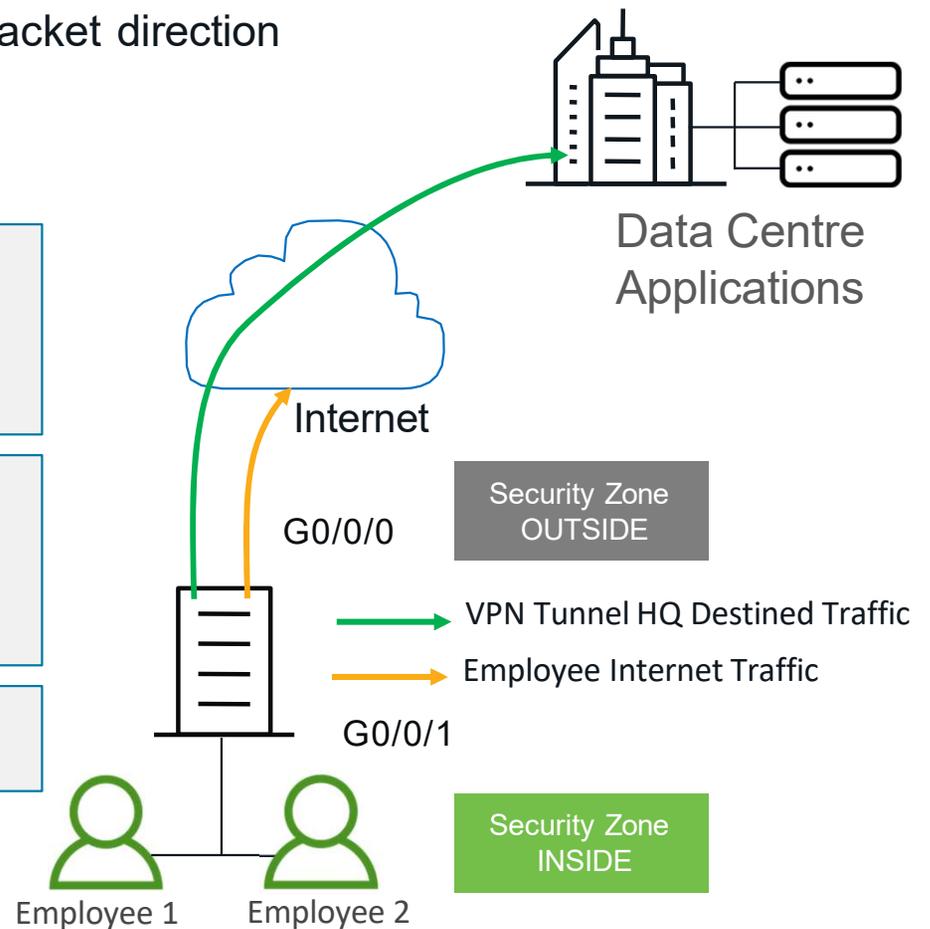
```
zone security INSIDE  
zone security OUTSIDE
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS  
match protocol ftp  
match protocol tcp | or match access-list  
match protocol udp  
match protocol icmp
```

```
policy-map type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY  
class type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS  
inspect  
class class-default  
drop
```

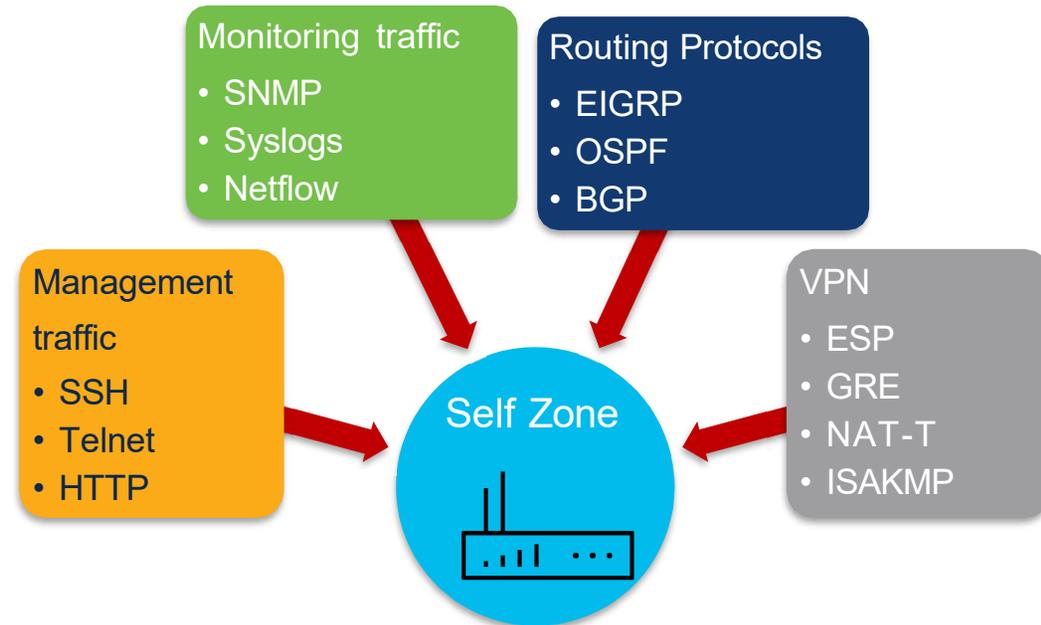
```
zone-pair security IN_OUT source INSIDE destination OUTSIDE  
service-policy type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
```

```
Interface G0/0/0  
zone-member security OUTSIDE  
Interface G0/0/1  
zone-member security INSIDE
```



Zone Based Firewall – Self Zone

- Pre-defined zone member
 - Protects traffic TO and FROM router
 - Traffic sourced or destined to router
 - Excludes THROUGH the box NAT traffic
- Two differences
 - Pre-defined and available for use
 - Explicit allow compared to explicit deny
- Use to protect management and control plane traffic



Zone Based Firewall

Self Zone inbound - Inbound traffic to the router itself



```
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-IN
permit udp host y.y.y.y any eq 4500
permit udp host y.y.y.y any any eq isakmp
permit icmp host x.x.x.x any echo
permit icmp host x.x.x.x any echo-reply
permit icmp any any ttl-exceeded
permit icmp any any port-unreachable
permit udp any any range 33434 33463 ttl eq 1
```

```
ip access-list extended ESP-IN
permit esp host x.x.x.x any

ip access-list extended DHCP-IN
permit udp any eq bootps any eq bootpc
```

```
ip access-list extended GRE-IN
permit gre host x.x.x.x any
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
match access-group name ACL-RTR-IN
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
match access-group name ESP-IN
match access-group name DHCP-IN
match access-group name GRE-IN
```

```
policy-map type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
inspect
class type inspect PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
pass
class class-default
drop
```

```
zone-pair security TO-ROUTER source OUTSIDE destination self
service-policy type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
```

Zone Based Firewall

Self Zone outbound – Outbound traffic from the router itself



```
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-OUT
permit udp any host y.y.y.y eq 4500
permit udp any host y.y.y.y eq isakmp
permit icmp any host y.y.y.y
```

```
ip access-list extended ESP-OUT
permit esp any host y.y.y.y
```

```
ip access-list extended DHCP-OUT
permit udp any eq bootpc any eq bootps
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
match access-group name ACL-RTR-OUT
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
match access-group name ESP-OUT
match access-group name DHCP-OUT
```

```
policy-map type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY
class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
inspect
class type inspect PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
pass
class class-default
drop
```

```
zone-pair security FROM-ROUTER source self destination OUTSIDE
service-policy type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY
```

Firewall App Aware – Benefits and Requirements

Benefits

- Application Visibility and Granular control
- 1694+ layer 7 applications classified
- Allow or block traffic by application, category, application-family or application-group
- Segmentation
- PCI compliance
- Supports VRF and IPv6

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Firewall App Aware - Configuration

```
zone security INSIDE  
zone security OUTSIDE
```

```
class-map type inspect match-any INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS  
match protocol ftp  
match protocol tcp [AND / OR] match access-group name  
match protocol udp  
match protocol icmp
```

```
class-map match-any AVC-CLASS  
match protocol yahoo  
match protocol amazon  
match protocol attribute category consumer-streaming  
match protocol attribute category gaming  
match protocol attribute category social-networking
```

```
policy-map type inspect avc AVC-POLICY  
class AVC-CLASS  
deny  
class class-default  
allow
```

```
policy-map type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY  
class type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS  
inspect  
service-policy avc AVC-POLICY  
class class-default  
drop
```

```
zone-pair security IN_OUT source INSIDE destination  
OUTSIDE  
service-policy type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
```

```
Interface G0/0/0  
zone security OUTSIDE  
Interface G0/0/1  
Zone security INSIDE
```